

M/003/050

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January 31, 2002

Mr. D. Wayne Hedberg
Permit Supervisor
Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining
P. O. Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801

Re: Lone Pine Quarry, M/003/050, Box Elder County, Utah

Dear Mr. Hedberg:

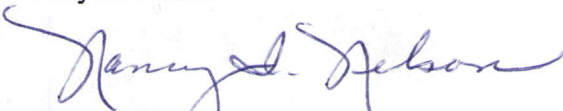
We are the landowners of the property in Box Elder County, Utah which contains the Lone Pine Quarry being operated by Gold Star Stone, Incorporated. We are also the landowners of all the property crossed by the access road going west from the county road to the Lone Pine Quarry. The access road was extended from the North Quarry in 2001, and was constructed by Gold Star Stone. The road extension helps us to access the higher elevation portions of our property.

It is our plan to continue to use this road to support our cattle ranching operation following completion of quarrying and reclamation at the Lone Pine Quarry. We have been told that the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining requires that we request the improved sections of the access road to remain after mining is completed. We request approval from the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining to allow the improved sections of the quarry access road on our property to remain after mining is completed.

Sincerely,



Gary N. Nelson



Nancy I. Nelson

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